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1. To improve conditions at home and abroad to cope with changes  
in the world situation.
2. To accelerate the settlement of the China Incident by promptly  
strengthening policies towards CHINA for the main purpose of preventing  
Third Powers from assisting the CHIANG regime.
3. To settle the Southern Problems within the limits so as not  
to cause a war against a Third Power.
4. To fulfil especially the following matters as policies for  
above three clauses.
  - (1) To foster a strong political tie with GERMANY and ITALY and  
to take active steps in the adjustment of diplomacy towards the SOVIET  
UNION while maintaining a firm front towards the UNITED STATES.
  - (2) To strengthen policies towards FRENCH INDO-CHINA, HONGKONG  
and Settlements to check assistance to the CHIANG Regime and root out  
the feeling of enmity toward JAPAN.
  - (3) To strengthen the diplomatic policy towards the DUTCH EAST  
INDIES in order to obtain important materials.
  - (4) To reform the war-time organization at home.

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昭和十五年七月二十七日連絡會議決定

世界情勢ノ推移ニ伴フ時局變遷要綱骨子

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世界情勢ノ推移ニ伴フ時局處理要綱骨子

- 一 世界情勢ノ變局ニ對處シ内外ノ情勢ヲ改善スルコト。
- 二 速カニ第三國ノ援蔣行爲禁絶ヲ主眼トスル對支施策ヲ強化シ支那事變ノ解決ヲ促進スルコト。
- 三 第三國ト開戰ニ至ラザル限度ニ於テ南方問題ヲ解決スルコト。
- 四 第三項ノ施策トシテ特ニ左ノ件ヲ實行スルコト。
  - (1) 一面對米嚴然タル態度ヲ保持スル他面獨伊トノ政治的結束強化對「ソ」國交ノ飛躍的調整ヲ圖ル。
  - (2) 佛印香港及租界ニ對スル援蔣禁絶敵性並除施策ヲ強化ス。
  - (3) 重要物資取得ノ爲對蘭印外交ヲ強化ス。
  - (4) 國內戰時態勢ヲ刷新ス。